

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Milner et al.
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Title: EXTENDED DRAIN, THERMALLY STABLE,
GEAR OIL FORMULATIONS
Examiner: Lang, Amy T.
Group Art Unit: 1714

RESPONSE TO SECOND NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 15, 2007

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2007, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

This response is believed to be timely filed as it is being filed within three months of the mailing date of the outstanding Office Action. Since the due date for response is on a Saturday, the response is being filed on the next business day, i.e., Monday, September 17, 2007. Further, while the Office Action indicates that the status is both a non-final and final action, a voicemail from the Examiner on July 11, 2007 confirmed that the action is a non-final. The Applicant would like to respectfully thank the Examiner for this clarification.